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BY: Health and Government Operations Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 585

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, strike beginning with "requiring" in line 6 down through "circumstances;" in line 12 and substitute "requiring a contractor to accept certain bonding from a subcontractor under certain circumstances; requiring certain agencies to provide certain notice on bid security to certain bidders;".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, strike beginning with the colon in line 4 down through "(1)" in line 5 and substitute a comma; in line 6, strike "A" and substitute "THE"; strike beginning with the semicolon in line 8 down through "BOND" in line 10; in line 13, strike "UNDERWRITTEN" and substitute "ACCEPTED BY THE PRIME CONTRACTOR IF THE BOND WOULD BE ACCEPTED BY THE STATE AND PROVIDED"; in line 15, after "STATE;" insert "OR"; strike in their entirety lines 16 and 17; in line 18, strike "(3)" and substitute "(2)"; and strike in their entirety lines 21 through 32, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 3, strike in their entirety lines 1 through 7, inclusive, and substitute:

- "(C) IN A SOLICITATION OR PRE-BID CONFERENCE FOR A PROCUREMENT CONTRACT FOR SERVICES, SUPPLIES, OR CONSTRUCTION RELATED SERVICES WITH THE STATE, THE PROCUREMENT AGENCY SHALL PROVIDE NOTICE TO ALL BIDDERS THAT BID SECURITY SHALL BE:
- (1) A BOND PROVIDED BY A SURETY COMPANY AUTHORIZED TO DO BUSINESS IN THIS STATE;

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- (2) A BOND PROVIDED BY AN INDIVIDUAL SURETY THAT MEETS THE REQUIREMENTS OF §§ 13-207 AND 13-216 OF THIS SUBTITLE AND § 17-104 OF THIS ARTICLE;
 - (3) CASH; OR
 - (4) ANOTHER FORM OF SECURITY:
 - (I) AUTHORIZED BY FEDERAL OR STATE REGULATION; OR
- (II) THAT IS SATISFACTORY TO THE UNIT AWARDING THE CONTRACT.";

and in line 9, strike "October" and substitute "July".